

Sinclair Broadcasting is misusing the public airwaves by forcing their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary shortly before the presidential election.

This is centralized, partisan use of the media for propaganda purposes. This does not serve a democracy and is contrary to what America stands for. This practice should not be permitted.

Sinclair is obligated by law to serve the public interest. Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. The license renewal process should involve a company being held to high standards of serving local communities. Promoting partisan political views does not serve the public interest and violates the public trust placed in the media and the FCC.

Thank you.